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for first insertion and 5c. a line for
each subsequent insertion.Capt. Corse Appointed a Member of
V. M. I. Visitors

The appointment by Governor Mann of Capt. Montgomery B. Corse of Lexington, as a member of the V. M. I. Board of Visitors to fill the vacancy caused by the recent death of Dr. J. F. Bransford, meets with universal approval in Lexington as the "right man in the right place." Lexington feels that the town is entitled to a local member of the Board, and this has been the case until very recent years.

Captain Corse for years has been identified with the V. M. I. He graduated in the class of 1885, and during the years 1893-97 was assistant professor; and for nine years filled the position of graduate manager of athletics. After graduation he taught for two years at Fishburne's Military School, for two years attended the University of Virginia, and from 1890 to 1893 was analytic chemist in Roanoke. For the past 14 years he has been proprietor of the McCrum Drug Company of Lexington. He is now serving his second term of two years as a member of the Lexington Town Council, and is chairman of the street committee and special water committee.

Captain Corse has a marvelous capacity for work, and has filled all his official positions with great credit to himself and the cause served.

His father, General M. B. Corse, deceased, of Alexandria, Va., was a member for some years of the V. M. I. Board of Visitors and served with distinction.

Hoyt's "A Bunch of Keys"

Hoyt's "A Bunch of Keys," with all the latest novel features, presented by an exceedingly strong company, of great merit and possessing an original fund of humor, which is unexcelled by any other company on the stage, will be presented at the Lyric Theatre Monday night, Nov. 20th.

It will be well for those who wish to enjoy an evening of laughter with the irresistible "Bunch of Keys" to take precious time by the forelock and interview the advance sale at the earliest moment to secure a good seat ahead of the other fellow who wants a better one. "A Bunch of Keys" is a magnet at drawing large audiences, and this season "standing room only" is the regular thing in nearly every city or town in which it has appeared.

Jas. B. Mackie, the original "Grimsby Me Boy" will be one of the attractions.

Boys' Corn Club Exhibit

Next Monday, the 20th, at 11 o'clock, members of the Boys' Corn Club and the Girls' Domestic Club are expected to be present at the Courthouse in Lexington for their annual exhibit. The boys will bring samples of the corn raised on their respective acres, and the girls to have specimens of pastry and needlework.

Don't forget the date, and let's make the second exhibit better than last year.

A Correction

In our report of the election last week it was mentioned that Mr. G. A. Ayres was re-elected supervisor for Buffalo district. This was an error. The returns were incomplete Wednesday, hence the mistake. Mr. Ayres for years has served his district with singular fidelity as a supervisor.

Big Yield of Corn

The following item appeared in The Gazette of Nov. 30, 1882:

"Mr. John D. Snider, the champion wheat-grower of Rockbridge, comes to the front on a corn crop. A plot of 21 measured acres yielded 180 bushels of shelled corn."

Christmas Sale

The Women's Working Society of the Baptist church will offer various articles for sale on Thursday, Dec. 14th, in the lecture room.

OFFICIAL VOTE OF ROCKBRIDGE COUNTY AND BUENA VISTA

Tuesday, November 7, 1911

PRECINCTS	State Senate	House Del.	House Del.	Co. Treas.	High Sheriff	Com. Atty.	Co. Clerk
	J. Randolph Tucker	John W. Stephenson (Foster)	W. G. McDowell	Hugh A. White	S. R. Moore	R. L. Morrison	D. E. Moore
							A. T. Shields
Lexington	354	340	144	227	375	373	360
Hartsok's Shop	35	35	16	21	36	37	37
Glasgow	25	25	12	21	22	27	28
Glenwood	23	24	15	10	25	25	25
Oak Bank	27	25	26	11	28	28	26
Natural Bridge	68	68	13	63	76	76	74
Broad Creek	21	22	7	16	22	22	23
Hamilton's School House	68	70	5	66	73	73	72
Collierstown	33	35	15	27	49	50	46
Montgomery	65	63	36	35	73	70	70
Big Spring	85	83	45	24	89	90	90
Smith's Mill	43	41	29	20	45	44	45
Rockbridge Baths	55	56	30	26	58	59	58
Brownsburg	46	46	13	32	47	47	46
Plum	34	34	27	7	34	34	33
Goshen	40	41	15	26	48	46	45
Kennedy's Mill	20	20	4	16	23	22	23
Timber Ridge	34	33	17	23	39	39	37
Riverside	46	48	14	32	46	47	47
Fairfield	93	90	52	47	101	100	96
Raphine	37	38	32	16	40	43	41
Campbell's Mill	14	15	6	9	16	16	16
Total in County	1266	1252	573	775	1365	1368	1338
Buena Vista	149	149	38	116			
Total	1415	1401	611	891	1365	1368	1338

"Patron's Day" at Moore's School
Great Success

"Patron's Day" was very successfully observed at Moore's G. Ad School Friday, October 27th.

By request of the teachers the patrons met Saturday evening, 21st, and reorganized their league. After discussing needed improvements, it was decided that "Patron's Day" be spent doing the needed work.

At an early hour that morning the sound of the saw and hammer was heard. A good substantial woodhouse sixteen by ten feet was nearly completed by night fall, also a fence eight feet high was built across the yard separating the boys' and girls' playground in rear of building.

While this was going on the Junior League was busily at work, the boys beautifying the grounds and the girls working on inside of building.

Before adjourning it was decided that a "Lawn Party" and supper be given at the schoolhouse Tuesday evening, October 31st, under the auspices of the Citizen's and Junior League; the proceeds to be used in painting the inside walls of the building, white washing woodhouse and fence, also the putting in of lockers and getting of tools and material for the Manual Training Department.

The "Lawn Party" being a success the needed improvements will be added at once.

The school is progressing nicely under the supervision of our former teachers, Misses Gilbert and Fick. The enrollment is greater than for several years. Twenty-five in the Grammar Department and twenty-seven in the Primary Department, making a total of fifty-two.

The "Roll of Honor" for the past month is as follows:

Grammar Department: Grade 6—Lula Smith; Grade 5—Mildred Smith. Primary Department: Grade 3—Hubert Dod and Willie Martin; Grade 2—Earl Reid; Grade 1—Susie Page; Primary—Edna Dixon and Percy Reid. A PATRON.

Beattie Refused New Trial

The Supreme Court Monday morning refused petition of counsel of Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., the convicted wife murderer, for a new trial, thereby affirming the verdict of the lower court. Friends and sympathizers of Beattie will now bend every effort to induce Governor Mann to commute the sentence to imprisonment and thus save Beattie from the death chair on Nov. 24th.

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